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Official Diary

Friday, 14 December 1951

Col. Hansen reported that he had been successful in his negotiations with Fulton Lewis. He had learned that two columns had been contemplated, rather than one as previously reported, and reference to CIA would be deleted from both. Col. Hansen reported also that Mr. Lewis' office had checked with the McCarran Committee office and had been informed by the latter that CIA had always been cooperative in such matters. I suggested to Col. Hansen that his report on this should include his recommendation that the [] of O/O, which had uncovered the column, should be commended.

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Attended USCIB meeting.

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[] of OSI phoned later in the day referring to a cable from [] and a letter discussing a possible successor for [] which had been pouched December 11. He asked me to keep an eye out for this letter if it came through this office and I undertook to have everyone alerted.

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Arranged with Mr. Dulles to have him chair the IAC on Saturday, if it seemed likely, the DCI did not desire to be present.

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